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INTERVENTION FOR CAMP ASHRAF

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11. (U) Poloff met with three small groups of Iranians in front of the U.S. Embassy in Brussels on July 28, 29 and 31. Members of each group had immediate family inside Camp Ashraf and left Poloff with literature, which has been sent to the NEA/I desk. Their requests were for the U.S. to intervene and stop the Iraqis bulldozing the camp, committing human rights abuses and relocating the residents. On July 31, approximately 25 Iranians peacefully demonstrated across the street from the Embassy from 12-2pm. Similar demonstrations are expected on August 1 and 3.

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